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Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed April 10, 2002, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 68 as follows:

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68. (Amended) A method comprising the steps of:
receiving frame relay data packets into a fast packet network, and
switching said frame relay data packets within the fast packet network responsive to a
dynamically computed data link connection identifier (DLCI),
each DLCI corresponding to a plurality of destinations.

Please add the following new claims:

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73. (New) The method of claim 68, wherein said dynamic computation comprises
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